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SUBJ: MSG OF GREEK FARMERS ORGANIZATION TO CONGRESS ON AID

CUTOFF TO TURKEY

1. THE EMBASSY HAS BEEN GIVEN INFORMALLY A COPY OF A MESSAGE WHICH THE PANHELLENIC CONFEDERATION OF UNION OF FARMERS COOPERATIVES (PASEGES) SENT THE PRESIDENT OF SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE ON FEBRUARY 6. THE CONFEDERATION REPRESENTS OVER 2,000,000 GREEK FARMERS AND IS THE LARGEST FARM ORGANIZATION IN GREECE. OUR ROUGH TRANSLATION OF THE GREEK TEXT FOLLO WS:

2. BEGIN TEXT:

PRESIDENT OF THE US SENATE

THE HONARABLE NELSON A ROCKEFELLER

US CAPITOL WASHINGTON DC

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

THE HONORABLE CARL ALBERT

US CAPITOL

WASHINGTON DC

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THE PANHELLENIC CONFEDERATION OF THE UNION OF FARMERS
COOPERATIVES, REPRESENTING THE FARMERS OF GREECE, EXTENDS
TO YOU AND THE DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS OF THE SENATE AND
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THEIR APPRECIATION AND GRATITUDE
FOR THE DECISION TO DISCONTINUE MILITARY AID TO TURKEY.
(THIS ACTION WAS TAKEN) AFTER IT WAS OFFICIALLY DETERMINED
THAT AMERICAN MILITARY EQUIPMENT, WHICH WAS GIVEN TO
TURKEY FOR PURELY DEFENSIVE AND NATO PURPOSES AGAINST ANY
ATTACK FROM THIRD COUNTRIES, WAS UTILIZED AGGRESSIVELY
AGAINST THE ALLIED MEMBERS OF NATO (SIC) TO ABOLISH THE
FREE REPUBLIC OF CYPRUS; AND (WHICH TURKEY USED) TO OCCUPY
CYPRUS MILITARY DEMANDING THE PARTITION AND ATTACHMENT
OF ONE PART OF CYPRUS TO TURKEY AND ABOLITION OF THE FREE
STATE. UNFORTUNATELY, THE UNANIMOUS DECISION OF THE UNITED
NATIONS IS COMPLETELY INGONED BY TURKEY AT THE MOMENT
WHEN THE GREEK GOVERNMENT PUBLICLY MANIFESTS AND DEMONSTRATES
ITS PEACEFUL INTENTIONS.

PASEGES

PRESIDENT DIRECTOR GENERAL

CHRONOPOULOS AFENDAKIS

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